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Dear Sir:

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified patent application is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and comments below.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge \$112.00 to Deposit Account No.50-1063 [MSFTP293USA], for additional claims.